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Sir:

Applicants hereby withdraw the assertion of small entity status erroneously included in this application as filed on January 28, 2004. This application is not entitled to claim small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.28(c), the following is an itemization of the deficiency payment to be made:

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application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees which may be deemed due, or credit any overpayment in connection with this matter, to Deposit Account No. 50-1868.

Respectfully submitted,

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE							
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1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) over original patent 1801 770 2801 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)							
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